

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: BEXP, SF

SUBJECT: POTENTIAL MAJOR PROJECT - SOUTH AFRICAN ORE-LOADING COMPLEX

REF: LONDON 16613

1. A SENIOR OFFICIAL OF THE SOUTH AFRICAN RAILWAYS AND HARBORS (SAR&H) ADMINISTRATION HAS CONFIRMED THAT A FEASIBILITY STUDY OF AN IRON-ORE LOADING COMPLEX AT PORT ELIZABETH WAS MADE. ACCORDING TO HIM, THE SOUTH AFRICAN GOVERNMENT IS NOT RPT NOT INTERESTED IN PURSUING THE PROJECT, BUT THERE ARE PRIVATE INTERESTS WHICH HE UNDERSTANDS ARE STILL PUSHING IT AND POSSIBLY SEEKING PRIVATE FINANCING.

2. WE HAVE REPEATED REFTEL TO CONGEN CAPE TOWN, WITHIN WHOSE JURISDICTION PORT ELIZABETH FALLS.  
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